March 6, 1947

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o/o Chief, Personnel Procurement Section Central Intelligence Group 2450 E Street, N. W. Machington, D. C.

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As a result of our recent conversation, we have requested our legal staff to review your case and give an opinion on the matters of law involved. Their report states the following conclusions.

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It appears that you returned from the at your own volition. You were subsequently placed on the rolls of this organisation on February 7, 1947, at which time you were informed that, due to a change in eiremstances, the position for which you were hired might be abolished. Soon after that time, the organisation's plans were rewised, and the position planned for you was eliminated. In view of the fact that you were already on the rolls, Personnel Procurement Section attempted to find other branches of the agency which might make use of your qualifications. A negative report was received and, as the situation now stands, the Government, as represented by this agency, has no present need for your services.

You will recall that, on entering upon duty, you accepted a letter notifying you of your employment by the United States Government. This letter is the final and complete statement of the terms of your employment and, under the parole evidence rule, would be the sole statement to be considered in defining the terms of your contract. In the absence of fraud or other unusual circumstances, any prior statements or promises would be inadmissable to alter the final terms of your employment. Paragraph 4 of that letter-contract reads: "Your appointment is for such time as your services will be required and funds are available for the work of GIG."

As noted, above, CIG no longer requires your services because of circumstances not within its control, and your appointment therefore automatically terminates. We regret to inform you that there is nothing further this office can do in your case. If you wish to seek advice or

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assistance outside of the office, you are reminded that the terms and nature of the work in which you were employed is considered classified information which is not to be revealed outside the agency without prior approval, in accordance with the terms of your oath of office and applicable laws. Any such information you wish to release should be submitted formadvance clearance on behalf of the Director in writing.

Sincerely,

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Executive Secretary